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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No.: 10/784,216 Confirmation No. 8409
Applicant: H. INOUE
Filed: February 24, 2004
Titled: GAS TURBINE COMBUSTOR AND OPERATING METHOD
THEREOF
TC/A.U.: 3746
Examiner: M. Koczko, Jr.

Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121)

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Commissioner for Patents
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December 6, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) of November 21, 2006 stating that the Amendment filed on November 8, 2006 (Second Preliminary Amendment), did not include the text of all pending claims, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper;

Remarks are included following the amendments;